



Alaska Workforce Investment Board
Workforce Readiness and Employment & Placement Committee Report
February 23, 2010

The Workforce Readiness, Employment & Placement Committee has met three times since the AWIB meeting in October 2009. The meeting dates were November 12 (no quorum), December 16, 2009, and January 20, 2010.

AWIB Resolution Process

The draft AWIB Resolution Process was sent from WREP to Policy & Planning for review in June 2009. It was reviewed and submitted to Exco in December 2009. Exco returned it to Policy & Planning with recommended changes. It was again submitted and passed on January 12, 2010.

AWIB Training Plan Template

The AWIB Training Plan Template documents were completed and forwarded to the Policy and Planning committee for review on June 12, 2009. A second adhoc committee was formed with Fred Villa, Kathy Craft, Doug Ward, and Dave Rees. The name was changed to AWIB Workforce Development Strategic Plan and Jeff Selvey was the coordinator. The plan was reintroduced and passed by Exco on December 18, 2009.

RTC's & RAC's

Jeff Selvey, AWIB CTE Coordinator, has been reporting to WREP on the status of the Regional Training Centers (RTC's) and the Regional Advisory Councils (RAC's). There have been two RTC's meetings so far and a third is scheduled for March 2010. They are working on reengaging the Regional Advisory Councils to work closely with the Regional Training Centers. This is very important for identifying and training for priority occupations within their prospective regions.

WREP voted on January 20, 2010 to return to bi-monthly meetings. They will meet on the third Wednesday of each odd month.